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Docket No.: 42390P8918

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

SALVADOR PALANCA, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/608,507

Filed: June 30, 2000

For: **Method and Apparatus For Cache Replacement  
For A Multiple Variable-Way Associative Cache**

Art Group: 2186

Examiner: Tuan V. Thai.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully  
Petition the Commissioner for a one (1) month extension of time, extending the period for response to February 23,  
2004, from the Final Office Action dated October 23, 2003. The petition filing fee of \$110.00 and a Request for  
Continued Examination (RCE) are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being  
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enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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